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BREWER'S WIFE ASPHYXIATES HERSELF AND CHILDREN.

Omaha Woman Locks Herself and Two Sons in a Room and Turns On Gas.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 10 -- Mrs. Henry Haubens and her two sons, Walter, aged 13, and Emil, aged 15, were found dead at their home on North Twenty-fourth street, early to-day, where they had been asphyxlated by illuminating gas. The windows and doors were tightly closed, kepholes were filled with paper, several of the gas jets were open, and all indications are that the wom-an had committed suicide, at the same time

an had committed suicide, at the same time taking the lives of her two sons.

Mrs. Hauben's husband, who is vice president of the Starz Brewing Company, is out of the city. Mrs. Haubens has been in ill health, and had become despondent, and it is thought she was temporarily insame when the act was committed. She retired at 3 o'clock last night, expressing hereelf as not feeling well. A sister of Lerhusband called this morning and found the doors locked and the odor of gas issuing from the house. When the doors were forced open the bodies were found in bed.

The family is one of the most prominent in the city. Mr. Haubens, who is out of the State on business, has been notified.

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NINTH MISSOURI CAVALRY IN ANNUAL REUNION.

Sixty Survivors of the Original Twelve Hundred Hold a Meeting at Columbia.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 19 .- The third annual reunion of the Ninth Missouri Cavalry was held in Columbia Wednesday and Thursday. About sixty veterans out of the original 1,300 were present. The meeting was presided over by Major H. S. Glaze of Macon, with General Gultar as secretary and Elljah Hopper as treasurer. Officers for the year were elected as follows: Prefident, Lieuenant W. S. Wood of Monroe County; seqretary, Thomas H. Tucker of Cooper County; treasurer, Eljah Hopper of Columbia,

Boonville was selected as the next meeting place, the data of the meeting having. not yet been decided upon. A handsome cane was presented by the veterans to General Guitar. The meeting then adjourned to talk over old war experiences and renew

The history of the Ninth Missouri Caval-

The history of the Ninth Missouri Cavalry is an interesting one. It is said that their
bugier never knew how to sound a retreat.
Organised as it was, in a community where
the feeling for the Southern cause was very
strong and where there were four or five
Southern sympathizers to one Union man,
it required men of courage and nerve to
declare themselves against the South, thereby branding themselves for the condemnation and hate of their neighbors. Its formation and hate of their neighbors. Its formation and hate of their neighbors are held
in barns, smokehouses and other out-of-theway places at night.

The meeting which brought about the formation of the regiment was held in Columbia, was authorized by Governor Gamble to
recruit a regiment of Missouri militia. The
first companies were recruited near Sturgeon
and camped there waiting for equipment.

One year after the notable meeting in the
Columbia Coorthouse an order was issued
from the War Department foruning a military subdistrict within the houndarles:
"Northeast and south by the Missouri and
Osage rivers and west by a line from Warsaw, through Versailies to Mount Vernon,
in Monlieau County." This regiment was
given military surveillance over this territory.

During the four years of the war the
regiment figured in thirty engagements.
Several of them were bloody hand-to-hand
combats with the North Missouri guerrillas. On one occasion a company from the
regiment was beating up the bush in Clay
County when they surprised a band of
guerrillas at dinner. One of them was
Jeese James, afterwards the famous outlaw, and in the fight which followed he had
his little finger shot off.

The regiment was mustered out in the
month of May, 1886.

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A NEW TEXT. Southern Preacher Gives Food for Thought.

Coffee works in many different and unsuspected ways. Mr. E. L. Wesson, pastor of Baptist Church of Bardis, Miss., writes:

"I loved coffee from my infancy, and never knew of it hurting me until I was El years old. I suffered with headaches if forced to do without it, and sometimes used it three times a day, but headache had been one of the ills of our family, and therefore I thought it was an inherited evil for which coffee was a special remedy, but about hine years ago I began to suffer from sleeplesaness, which continued until it seemed as if my nerves would wreck for want of sleep, and yet I could not sleep.

"A friend suspected that I quit coffee except for breakfast, which I did, and so found that I could sleep a little better, but my headaches continued, and my nervous system would sometimes seem as if the very fibers of my flesh were moving within me. It went on until three years ago. I began to suffer at night with an itching sensation on my limbs below my knees, and on my arms below the elbows, and sometimes all over my body, but there was no eruption on the skin; the flesh was smooth and white. I consulted several good physicians, but with no avail.

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"I had no idea that the coffee I drank in the morning coused it, but inally decided to stop coffee for awhile, and try Postum Food Coffee. Wife made it according to directions, so that I liked it equally as well as coffee. I had no idea that it would relieve the awful itching deep down in my flesh, but thought I would try it to see if there was any virtue in it. I had used it only a few days, when I discovered that the itching was not so severe. When I had used it ten days, my wife said: What is the matter with you? You do not seem to be troubled with that itching sepastion.' I told her that I did not know what was the her that I did not know what was the cause, but I knew that I was not troubled

cause, but I knew that I was not troubled with the fiching any more and was thankful for it.

"I then went over to preach in another town, and while there drank some strong coffee, and the liching returned. When I came back home, I commenced using Postum again, and the fiching ceased. Then I decided that coffee in some way produced the fiching. I drink Postum three times a day, and rest as well as I ever rested, and never have beadaches any more. I believe that hundreds of preachers who suffer from indigestion, nervousness and worry, would find rest and health if they would quit coffee and use Postum."

DISTRIBUTED AT FAIR

Hereford Exhibit by J. A. Funkhouser Won Blue Ribbon in Aged Class.

YOUNG SHORTHORNS THE BEST

His Highness, J. S. Bratton's Crack Coupe Horse, Took First Place -Automobile Race Was Won by B. G. Sykes.

The feature of the cattle show at the Pair Frounds yesterday was the awarding of the prizes in the championship sweepstakes for herds of both beef and dairy breeds. In the class for aged herds of beef breeds, J. A. Funkhouser of Plattsburg, Mo., captured the blue ribbon with his Herefords over G. M. Casey's Short Horns, Mr. Casey s from Clinton, Mo.

Funkhouser's winning herd of Herefords was head by the champion 3-year-old buil, March On VI. This animal is valued at \$10,000. Mr. Funkhouser bought March On VI as a calf for \$2,000 from W. S. Van Natta of Fowler, Ind. Casey's herd of Short Horns is headed by the champion bull, Choice Goods, which is also valued at \$10,000, and the rest of the herd from J. G. Robbins & Sons of Horace, Ind., for \$25,000. Robbins & Sons of Horace, Ind., for \$25.00a.

Choice Goods has never been beaten in single competition. He is a 5-year-old and captured blue ribbons this year at Sedalia. Des Moines, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Indianapolis and Louisville before being brought to St. Louis. Roberta, Choice Goods's mate, is another celebrated performer in the Western fair-show circuit. She has been returned a winner at St. Louis at every Pair held here in the last four years.

The Hirefords put it over the Short Horns in the aged herd-beef breed class, but the Short Horns carried off the blue ribbon in the young herd class. J. G. Robbins & Sons furnished the winning herd, defeating J. A. Funkhouser's herd. First prize in the aged herd-class was \$50. while the first premium in the young herd class was \$5. H. C. Duncan of Osborne tied the premiums in the beef classes. He was assisted by Professor Mumford, who was brought here from Columbia, Mo., to Judge the dairy classes.

Chasses

ONE OF ROSEBERY HERD.

Robbins's winning herd of young shorthorns is headed by the famous yearling buil, Pluto, of Dalmeny, which Mr. Robbins purchased recently from Lord Rosebery, it is English statesman. Lord Rosebery is an enthusiastic breeder of fancy cattle. He also has a hig stud of thoroughbreds. Rosebery was the Prime Minister of English Derbery was the Prime Minister of English Derbery was the Prime Minister of the richest of the Rothschilds. Rosebery breeds his fancy cattle at his Dalmeny farm, near London. Angus and shorthorns are his favorite breeds. He also breeds Lieccester sheep and Yorkshire hogs.

Pluto of Dalmeny is a roan bull, by Lord Rosebery's famous old stock bull, Villager. Robbins & Sons have a herd of 120 shorthorns at their Indiana farm. They have just imported sixty-five head of English stock. J. G. Robbins was in English stock farms and took in all the prominent English cattle shows. He visited both the Royal and Highland shows, and thinks that American fancy stock could hold their own with the best in England. English cattlemen who visited the great international exposition at Chicago last year acknowledged this fact.

In the dairy breeds, John E. Robbins, who also halls from Indiana, and is related to the other Robbins, carried off both sweepstakes. He showed herds of Jerseys and beat T. A. Mitchell's Hoisteins and J. D. Converse's Ayrshires in the class for aged herds, and M. E. Moore's Holstein and J. D. Converse's Ayrshires in the young-herd class. The first premium in the aged-herd class. ONE OF ROSEBERY HERD.

STUDEBAKER IS A VISITOR. mous wagon manufacturer of that name, was a visitor at the Fair yesterday. Mr. Studebaker has a select herd of Herefords on a stock farm near Warren, ind. He is the man who paid \$4,000 recently for a January bull calf out of the celebrated show cow Russett. O. Harris of Harris, Mo., sold this valuable calf to Mr. Studebaker. Russett has been winning bremiums for Mr. sold this valuable calf to Mr. Studebaker. Russett has been winning premiums for Mr. Harris at all the big State fairs this year with great regularity. Mr. Harris sold the crack cow Betty II last year to J. C. Adams for \$4,500. This year he turned in and beat Betty II with Russett. Mr. Harris is one of the most successful breeders of fabry cattle in the West. His place is located near Kansas City.

Hayes Walker was at the Fair yesterday. Mr. Walker states that Kansas City is preparing for a big live-stock show next week.

SHOW OF COUFE HORSES.

The feature in the arena yesterday was the magnificent show of coupe horses. Mayor Rolla Wells exhibited a beautiful beast called Charlie in this ring and was awarded second premium over David R. Calhoun's crack performer Blucher and J. T. Hughes's prize-winner Sousa and E. R. Caendet's Billy. The winner, His Highness, is the star show horse of the Bratton string. Mr. Wells's Charlie is easily the best coupe horse owned in St. Louis since Julius 8. Waish's great gray horse Grey Eagle was winning premiums at the Pair and annual horse show. Charlie made His Highness step his best to win yesterday.

One of the features of Big Thursday's horse show was the spiendid showing of Red Bud, owned by Thomas Dunn of St. Louis. Red Bud defeated a field of twelve horses in the combined harness and gaited The feature in the arena yesterday was formers in the combined harness and gaited addle ring for geldings of any age. Red stall make a great show under saddle and in marness. The symmatry yesterday follows: Gentleman rider, presidents 30 and 316-W H. Autia, Fulton, Mo., first, A. H. Barnett, Mexion, Mo., second; J. T. Cresslaw, Lexington, Ky., hird.

Davis, Fulton, Mo., first; A. R. Barriett, Mexico, Mo., second; J. T. Crenshaw, Lexington, Ky. third.
Lady rider, premiums 130 and 130—Miss Mary Crenshaw, Lexington, Ky., first; Miss Mass Brut. ton, Enat St. Louis, asseond.
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er (T. T. Hughes, Lexington, Ky.), first Novetta (Peak & Sons, Winchester, III.), second; Hoxis E. G. W. Louisen, Lexington, Ky.), first Novetta (Peak & Sons, Winchester, III.), second; Hoxis E. G. W. Louisen, Lexington, Ky.), first Novetta (Peak & Sons, Winchester, III.), second; Hoxis E. G. W. Louisen, Environmental (Peak & Sons, Winchester, III.), second; Hoxis Charitie (Rolla Wella, city), second; Eincher (E. D. Calbonn), third.

"Road horses, passes, premiums 25 and 40—Electric (W. C. Gadsby, city), first, Prantis Martin (A. Moll, city), second; Nitwood Graftin (S. Frandt, Month, Christ, Lexington, Ko.), third.
Light house, premiums 250 and and 45—Jay Hawker G. T. Hughes, Lexington, Ky.), first, Gratian Girl (W. C. Gadsby, city), second; Ruth Adalia (Roak & Son, city), third.—Glendale G. G. Hughes, Lexington, Ky.), first, Gratian Girl (W. C. Gadsby, City), second; Pancy Corbin (Peak & Son, Winchester, III.), third.

July of carriage horses, premiums 35, 315. Gradule G. Shuff, Jacksonville, III., second, Pancy Corbin (Peak & Son, Winchester, III.), second, City, second; Prodic and Victor (James, Hardy, city), hird.

Pancy of carriage horses, premiums 35, 310 and 35 and Lady Lindle (S. O. Shuff, Jacksonville, III.), first, Novetta and Vivian M. (Peek & Son, Winchester, III.), second; Grendale and Senator Book, Louis, first, Goyton & Harrincton, Land, Christ, Resturcky Jack (Goyton & Harrincton, Land, Louis, Rest, Lexington, Ry.), third.

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B. G. Sykes won the five-mile automobile race in handy style from A. C. Haisey and H. S. Turner. Sykes seems to have the fastest machine in the city. He covered one mile in 1.25½, which is the fastest time ever made by an autumobile in this part of the country.

The ten-mile endurance automobile race was won by Ed Gadsey with A. C. Hainey second. Gudsey led nearly all the way and Haisey's machine was second nearly all the way. James P. O'Neit finally found a race that suited his machine and finished a creditable third. This event proved to be one of the most interesting of the whole series. The results in detail will be found below:

Automobile race, steam, gasoline or electric ma-

found below:
Automobile race, steam garoline or electric machines, not more than ten-horse power-R. G. Sykes, first: A. C. Halwy, second; H. S. Turner, third; J. B. P. Lewis, fourth, George Jeck, fifth. Time, 8:19.
Automobile race, for steam, gasoline or electric machines. In milee-Ed Gadesy, first: A. C. Halwy, second; J. P. G. Well, third; H. R. Turner, fourth; George Jeck, fifth, Time, II:38. AMPHITHEATER PROGRAMME.

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10:30 a. m. to 12 m.

Consolation classes for ponies, which have not won a money premium at this Fair—Hest saddle pony under it hands, best driving pony not exceeding 16 hands, best driving Fair—Hest saddle pony not over 5 hands, best driving Sheiland pony not over 5 hands, best driving Sheiland pony not over 5 hands. First premium, \$10: second premium, £; third premium, ribbon.

Consolation classes of light-harness horses which have not won a money semium at the Fair—Best stallion, any age, first premium, £5; second \$10; best gelding, any age, first premium, £5; second \$10; best gelding, any age, first premium, £5; second \$10; best gelding, any age, first premium, £5; second \$10; best gelding, any one first premium, \$10; second, £10; and \$10; best gelding, any age, first premium, \$10; second, £10; the \$10 miles outfits; for the best outfit of light harness, single delivery waron, owned by \$1. Louis firms, in actual use—First premium, \$13; second, £10; third, £6.

2 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Ophsolation class for pecing horses which have

CATTLE SHOW PRIZES | QUEEN OF FORT SMITH CARNIVAL. | MERCHANTS PROTEST



MISS ETHEL SENGEL Who has been elected queen of the carnival at Fort Smith; Ark,

CATERER BANKRUPTED BY LOSS OF WARE AT PRINCE HENRY DINNER.

Crowd at Shooters' Island Stole Four Thousand Dollars' Worth of "Souvenirs" From Rupert Fritz of St. Louis.

Rupert Fritz, who served the banquet in honor of Prince Henry at Shooter's Island. New York, Pebruary 25, at the launching of the Kalser's schooner-yacht, Meteor, is back in St. Louis and has recently taken the management of Horn's Hotel, at Seventh and Pine streets.

He was bankrupt at Shooter's Island. The great crowd at the immching carried away as souvenirs a fortune in sliverware and other table service in spite of the efforts of 100 policemen and the 300 employes taken to the place by Mr. Fritz.

allowed to land, and the crowd was so great that policemen, detectives and watch-men were swept from their posts and carried away in the throng which overran the place and obliterated individual distinct tion of every kind, officers and men in tur

had prepared 2000 plates bearing in the center a picture of the Meteor and names and dates descriptive of the occasion. These were intended for the guest's and wore sent to the Kaiser. Prince II any, Miss Alice Rossveit, Mayor Low of New York City and other distinguished personages interested. Others took them from the hangust in person, but the 2,000 did nothing more than to make the craze for souvenirs hereer and nearly everything Mr. Pritz took to the place was carried off.

When the crowds were cleared away Mr. Pritz found that he had nothing to take back to New York except a few cultinary apparenances of inconsiderable gains. All the costly service he had secured for his management and cashuet of the Lieder-kranz Cub of New York, of which he was a hankrupt. wn and mourn. He gave up his lease of the Liederkraus and come back to St.

He says that \$4.00 worth of silverware alone was taken from the banquet tables by the excursionists within an hour after the Banquet was ever.

This was all gone before Mr. Fritn was aware of what was going on. After the dinner the excursion beats in the start of the scarce of the scarce of the start of the scarce of the start of the scarce of the start of the scarce of characteristic vigor and nicety that en-bled him as proprietor of the greatest ferman club in America to become purvey-or to his Hoyal Highness, Prince Henry of

not won a money premium at this Pair-Best stallies, any age, first premium, \$2; second \$5. Champion saidle horse stake, for the champion middle horse of America-For the best maje or relating, first premium, \$100; second, \$20; third, \$2. Chambiation hundle race, for mules which have not won a money pressum at this Fair-flurdle race, for mules and the have for mules are for mules, and the have for mules are for mules, and the fair flurdle race, for mules Fair premium, \$15; second, \$10; third, \$5. Automobile race, steam muchines, five miles, or mile track, \$1.39 p. m.

Special Saturday Night sale from 7 to 10 o'clock. The Lohdell Special \$2.50 Men's Shoes for \$1.75. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co. 410 N. Broadway.

ANSWERS FINAL ROLL CALL. Thos. H. Dowling, Veteran of Two Wars, Passes Away.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Charleston, Ill., Oct. 10.-Thomas H. Dowling, a pioneer resident of Soles County, died early this morning at the uge of 96 years. Mr. Dowling was the oldest citizen in this section of the State. He was born in Loudon County, Virginia, May 22, 1808, and came to Illinois in 1827. On March 28, 1829, he was married to Miss Sarah Jane Hanks, who survives her husband. She was a cousin of Abraham Lincoln and the family has always enjoyed a notoriety on that account.

treets on election days, no matter what the andition of the weather or the state of his ealth. The funeral will take place Sunday morn-

VICEROY TAO MU IS DEAD. Had Been Forced to Retire to Private Life by the Eunuchs of the Palace.

Hong-Kong, Oct. 18 .- Tao Mu, Viceroy of

the Provinces of Kwang-Tung and Kwang-

Si, is dead, Advices brought to Tacoma, Wash, Ser advices brought to facoma, wash, September 10, by the steamer Victoria, were to the effect that Tao Mu had been forced to resign and retire to private life by the bitter and determined attacks made upon him by the cunuchs of the palace at Pekin, whose hatred he had incurred.

MRS. MILDRED MYATT.

Cariyle, Ill., Oct. 16.—Mrs. Mildred Myatt. aged 73 years, died at the home at her daughter. twelve miles northwest of this city. She was born in Clinton Chants. MRS. WILL BANKIN.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Charleston, Ill., Oct. 10.—Mrs. Will Rankin, formerly Miss Vade Neal of this city, died at Fair Grange, a few miles north of here, yesterday. She had been married only a year. Typhoid fever was the cause of teeth.

ALFRED BOYD.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Pana, Itl., Oct. 10.—Alfed Boyd, aged 40
years, a prominent resident of Pana, died
to-day in Toledo, O. His body will arrive
to-day for interment. ELIJAH SMITH. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Memphis, Mo., Oct. 16.—Elljah Smith, a veteran of the Civil War and a plouser set-tier, died at his home, nine miles south-west of here, last night, aged 78 years. MRS. FRANK SHILLINGS. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Grayville, III., Oct. 10.—Mrs. Frank Shill-ings, wife of a prominent farmer, died to-day of typhoid fever, aged 25 years. JOSEPH NUCKOLS. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Memphis, Mo., Oct. 10.—Joseph Nuckols, a wealthy farmer residing four miles west of here, died to-day, aged \$2 years. pensive. You will find them under price in every instance, except the Dr. A. Reed Cushion Shoes. Watch us grow, undersell-ing all competition. G. H. Boehmer Shoe

for the purpose. Mr. Pritz knowing that the demand for souvenirs would be great, had prepared 2000 plates bearing in the cen-

Prussin.
Mr. Fritz formerly lived in St. Louis and was connected with the St. Nicholas Hotel. He expects to make his home here in fu-

WATCHED DOWNTOWN HOTELS. Detective James F. Cullen Had Important Assignment.

James F. Cullen of No. 1947 North Market street, who has been a "plain clothes man" in the St. Louis Police Department for the last five years, on account of his ability us a detective and his knowledge of the tac-



JAMES F. CULLEN, One of Chief Desmond's detectives, who was assigned to watch the lobbles of the Planters and Southern hotels Fair week tics of hotel sneak thieves, was assigned to

Hold Love Feast. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 10 - Heroes of the Chirty-ninth Blinois Volunteer Infantry,

better known as the "Yates Phalanx," will meet in Farmer City next Wednesday in annual reunion. The command was exemtably a Central Illiands organization, but the survivers have scattered all over the country, and many States and cities will be represented at the coming gathering.

Austin Light of Chitage was the first Colonel, and many rectilits were secured from the northern metropolis following loss of men in battle. The Thirty-ninth was one of the first regiments in the Federal armies to accent veterin's duties and responsibilities, regulating January 13, 1884. In Chicago, where the command was sent to reorganize and recruit. The record of the regiment was so well known that the citizens of Chicago gave the facing and line of the colonization of the many confidence demonstration in Bryan Hall.

In a grand review of Major General Gibbons's corps at the end of the war the Thirty-ninth was presented by that officer with a brazen eagle placed upon the color staff as a reward for gallactry displayed. better known as the "Yates Phalanx," will

Special Saturday right sale from 7 to 19 o'clock. Women's \$2.50 shors, extension soles, Vici Rid and Patent Vici \$1.50 G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., 419 North Broadway.

AGAINST HIGH RATES

Charge Discrimination on Shipments to Southeast in Favor of North Atlantic Ports.

CASE BEFORE THE RAILROADS.

State Warehouse Commissioners Hear Complaint of St. Louis Grain Men and Millers on Switching Charges.

Representative wholesals men and jobbers of St. Louis met at the Mercantile Club vesterilay afternoon with ratiroad traffic officials and E. S. Tumpkins, commissioner of the St. Louis Traffic Bureau, to conider complaints by the merchants of unfavorable discrimination in rates to Southcastern territors.

E.S. Lewis, vice president of the Hargadine-McKittrick Dry Goods Company, pretifel. He stated the purpose of the meetng to be an effort to bring about an equitable basis of rates, a proposition which the St. Louis Frame Buregu, of itself, has met with much difficulty in bringing before the

A resolution indersing the object of the meeting was adopted, and a committee of five was appointed to co-operate with Com-missioner Tompkins in presenting the matter to the carriers, and insisting upon prompt reder from the existing conditions: prompt reast from the existing conditions, that is, asking for lower rate. Members of the committee are E S Lewis, vice president of the Hargadine-McKittrick Dry thous Company; Murray Carleton, president

the took to disaway Mr. and to the movement of grain and packing to take my conducts from the West to that special charge and the movement of grain and packing to take the disagness products from the West to that special charge and the movement of grain and packing the special charge on merchants being citizens and taxpay action.

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"If the Southern and Central of Georgia can carry freight from New York to Chyton, Alm. L155 miles, for \$1.48, why should we pay the Mobile and Ohio and the Central of Georgia \$1.57 for handling the same condition applies to Columbia, 1.18 miles from St. Louis, 798 miles? The same condition applies to Columbia, 1.18 miles from Now York, where the rate is \$1.68, when the charge from St. Louis, 699 miles nearer. Is \$1.61.

Present for the railroads were: J. M. Denyven, assistant general freight agent Mobile and Ohio; Ray I. De Pew, contracting freight agent of the M. & O.; George W. Becker, assistant general freight agent Illinois Central; B. J. Rowe, commercial agent I. C.; John Fitzgerald, superintendent of terminals of the Louisville and Nashville; J. N. Chandler, general agent 1. & N.; R. R. Campbell, assistant general freight agent for the Southern Railway, was unable to be present.

The committee appointed will report to Commissioner Tompkins the result of its work with the railroad traffic officials, who had little to say at yesterday's meeting and Mr. Tempkins will call another meeting for some adjustment, Merchants present whose names have not been mentioned, were: A. Bernd, Rothschild Hat Company; K. S. Bach, A. Haas & Sons; John L. Prelle, La Prelle-Williams Shoe Company; J. Johnson, Roberts, Johnson & Rand; W. A. Zakoski, Levis-Zukoski, Mercantile Company; J. Johnson, Roberts, Johnson & Rand; W. A. Zakoski, Levis-Zukoski, Mercantile Company; J. Johnson, Roberts, Johnson & Rand; W. A. Zakoski, Levis-Zukoski, Mercantile Company; J. Johnson, Roberts, Johnson & Rand; W. A. Zakoski, Levis-Zukoski, Mercantile Company; J. Johnson, Roberts, Johnson & Rand; W. A. Zakoski, Levis-Zukoski, Mercantile Company; J. Johnson, Presun, Friedman Bros, Shoe Company; J. Johnson, Drug Company; J. Henniges-F. Harmaner Palnt Company;

TO RIVAL HILL ON HIGH SEAS. At Cost of Millions, Harriman Will Katy to Have Direct St. Louis Line to Run Vessels on the Pacific. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Oct. 10 .- E. N. Harriman's Oregon Short Line Railway, a part of the Union Pacific system, has been indersed by the stockholders. The management has been empowered to "construct or acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise, and maintain and operate ferries, ferryboats, steambots, steamships warehouses and other property appurtenant to the business of ferries or navigation; also to engage generally in the business of ferries or navigation; also to engage generally in the business of ferries or navigation; also to engage generally in the business of transportation upon the navigable waters of the United States or other countries and upon the light seas and to purchase or otherwise acquire and guarantee the capital stock and other obligations of any company having power to engage in such lossness or engage therein."

It is intended to expend several millions of dollars in supplying the Oregon Short lane company with an outfit of steamers, ferries and water terminals, such as will Pregon Short Line Railway, a part of the

Deferred to November.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 10 .- Postponement of the lejunction case against thirteen railroads charged with violation of the Federal statcharged with violation of the Federal stat-nies prohibiting the giving of other than published freight rates, was announced from the United States Circuit Court to-day by District Attorney S. H. Bethea. Judge Grosseup, at the request of Mr. Bethea, deferred the hearing to November 10 or until the middle of December, as the encies of the court later might sug-gest.

C. Bethea received word from Judge William A. Day, representing the United

William A. Day, representing the Units
States Department of Justice, stating th
it would be impossible for him to be he
Monday, the date originally set for ti Monday, the date originally set for the bearing to begin. JAMES J. HILL IS RE-ELECTED.

Louis W. Hill Chosen to Succeed Samuel Hill at Great Northern Meeting. New York. Oct. 10 .- According to the an anal report, Just issued by the Great Northern Railway Company, for the fiscal year ended June 30, gross earnings for the enAND RETURN

Friday and Saturday, October 17th and 18th.

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ST. LOUIS GRAIN MEN'S HEARING. Mill and Elevator Managers Protest Against State Board's Order.

Chairman T. J. Hennessey of the Misouri Board of Bullroad and Warehous Commissioners, and Joseph P. Rice and W. E. McCally, Commissioners, yesterday cur

that is, asking for lower rates. Members of the committee are E S Lewis, vice president of the Hargadine McKitrick Dry Guides Company; Murray Carleton, president of the Carleton Dry Guides Company; Murray Carleton, president of the Carleton Dry Guides Company; T. D. Kelley, vice president of the Norvell-Sinapleigh Hardware Company; Fl W Spencer of the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company.

The merchants complained that the rates for the shorter baul from St. Louis to Airbarm points are higher than the iong hand from the North Atlantic seaboard, and that this condition has prevented St. Louis merchants from doing business to which they were naturally entitled in that territory. Murray Carleton stated that in the hast the St. Louis rotated that in the hast the St. Louis rotated the difficulty that the other as high as in 18th, while the rates from other markets have been materially reduced.

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TAX RETURNS \$5,000,000 SHORT. C. & E. I. Witnesses Examined in Carter Harrison's Mandamus Case.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Springfield, Ill., Oct. 10 -At the morning session of court to-day in the mandamus use of Mayor Harrison against the State Board of Equalization, Charles A. Works was recalled for cross-examination by Judge Shope, his object being to find out Judge Shope, his object being to find out upon what grounds the property of rail-roads in Cook County was assessed last year at but 79 per cent of its value. Mr. Works was prepared for the question and immediately peptiaced the assessment of the personal property in Cook County by the local Assessors and demonstrated very conclusively that it was not assessed at to exceed 30 per cent of its value, and that to have assessed railroads at full value would have been unjust discrimination.

The expert bookkesper of the Chicago and Eistern Illinois Railroad was also cross-examined and was made to say that the returns of his road to the State Board last year were \$5,000,000 less than it zhoold have reported.

WILL EXTEND TO AUSTIN. Texas City.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Georgetown, Tex., Oct. 19.-T. S. Miller, plan to establish an extensive system of attorney of the Missouri, Kansas and water transportation in connection with the Texas Railroad Company of Texas, was here to-day, perfecting arrangements for building the cut-off line from Granger via Georgetown to Austin. Mr. Miller and the Georgetown committee went to Grange, where the contract will be completed and delivered them. This gives this section a direct route to St. Louis.

Another New Railroad for Illinois.

tics of botel sheak thieves, was assigned to watch the lobbles of prominent downtown hotels during Pair week.

In the course of Mr. Cullen's connection with the department, he has made several important arrests. He sald last night that crooks are beginning to give St. Louis a wide betth on account of their respect for Chief Desmond's ability.

Thirty-Ninth Illinois Veterans to Hold Love Fenst.

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FEDERAL HEARING IS POSTPONED.

Injunction Cases Against Railroads

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REPUBLIC SPRCIAL.

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To Organize at a St. Louis Meeting.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Hi., Oct. 10.—Representatives from all of the counties along the route of the proposed North and South Railroad will assemble in St. Loris October II to decide assemble in St. Loris October II to decide on the preliminary work for the construc-tion of the road. A central organization will be formed. This body will have charge of the survey, etc. The proposed road will extend from Peeria to Murphysboro via Springfield, Harvel, Hillsbory, Greenville, Cariyle and Nashville.

Special Saturday night sale from 7 to 10 o'clock. Remnants Women's \$3.09 Oxfords, sizes 7\(\frac{1}{2}\) to 4. marrow widths, 10c. G. H. Boesmer Shoe Co., 410 North Broadway.

Cattle Exhibitors Are Entertained. Exhibitors of cattle at the St. Louis Fair were entertained at an informal dinner were entertained at an informal dinner given in their honor at the Planters Hotel last night. About twenty-five persons were present. J. D. Clarkson, superintendent of the cattle exhibit, presided and acted as toastmaster. Improving talks were made by several of the guests.

tire system, including proprietary compa-nies, were \$58,756,553, an increase of \$8,284,125 over last year. The net earnings, \$19,253,941 increased \$5,592,235. Other income brings the Boehmer Shoe Co., \$10 N. Broadway.

BILL PROVIDES FOR CITY LIGHTING PLANT

Introduced by Councilman Shee han and Contemplates \$140 600 Appropriation

IS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Jim Cronin Occupies Speaker's Chair While House Acts as Committee of the Whole the

If the bill introduced by Councilman Shrehan at yesterday's meeting of the Council becomes a law St. Louis will have its own lighting plant,

The bill provides for a fund of \$140,000, to be set aside out of the City Treasury, for the erection and installation of a municipal lighting plant for the Illumination of public streets and alleys.

A substitute for the Dwyer elevated railway bill was offered by Mr. Hodges, which provides for the construction of an elevated system through alleys, instead of over streets. The route is practically the same as that mentioned in the original bill, ex-cept that it provides for the utilizing of alleys in certain districts, instead of streets. The bill was referred to the Railroad Committee, and on the motion of Mr. Hodges the old one was filed.

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A recolation offered by Mr. Horton previded for the appointment of a committee to look into and consider the terminal conditions of St. Louis. The purpose of the resolution was to hasten action on the substitute terminal railroad bill now in the hands of the Railroad Committee.

James Cronin had the pleasure of once more occupying the Speaker's chair at hast night's meeting of the House of Delegates. It was the first time since Cronin's dethronement on the occasion of the reorganization of the House several months ago, and though it was only fer the brist space of about two minutes the Fifth Ward aspirant to Justice of the Peace bonors could not conceal his delight.

The House had resolved itself into a committee of the whole to take action on the bill providing for the reconstruction of the Mouse and Fontana asked Cronin to take his piace in the Speaker's chair while he got down and voted with the rest of his colleagues. The bill was passed.

Among other things, the measure makes it the duty of the City Surveyor to prepare a plat showing exactly where cabs and other "light hawks' must stand while resting in

It the duty of the City Surveyor to prepare a plat showing exactly where cabs and other "night hawks" must stand while resting in the neighborhood of Union Station, hotels and public buildings. It also provides for teh appointment of a sanitary inspector at a salary of 80 a month, whose duty it shall be to daily impect all public vehicles and see that they are in a fit sanitary condition. The bill was referred to the Committee on Sanitary Affairs.

ORDERS BALLOTS IN COURT.

Boettger Contests Count of Judges in Republican Justice Contest.

Circuit Judge Spencer made an order yesterday directing the Election Commissioners to produce next Monday the ballot boxes, ballots, certificates and statements of fudges of cierks and poll books of the first and sec-ong voting precincts of the Seventh Ward and the second voting precinct of the Eighth Ward, at the Republican primary, to be used in the contest brought by Jus-lice of the Peace Charles Boettger of the Second District, against N. P. Zimmer for the nomination for Justice of the Peace. Hostiger avers that he is entitled to the Hoetiger avers that he is entitled to the

favor of Zimmer. BETTER THAN LEATHER.

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